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Table 1. Demographic characteristics of the study population	
Age (years)	
18-24	10 (10.0)
25-34	15 (15.0)
35-44	20 (20.0)
45-54	25 (25.0)
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75-84	40 (40.0)
85-94	45 (45.0)
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105-114	55 (55.0)
115-124	60 (60.0)
125-134	65 (65.0)
135-144	70 (70.0)
145-154	75 (75.0)
155-164	80 (80.0)
165-174	85 (85.0)
175-184	90 (90.0)
185-194	95 (95.0)
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745-754	375 (375.0)
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775-784	390 (390.0)
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1055-1064	530 (530.0)
1065-1074	535 (535.0)
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1135-1144	570 (570.0)
1145-1154	575 (575.0)
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